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Live Jewelry.

"Here is something new in the way of ornamentation," a salesman in a large up-town jewelry store said, opening a box. Out walked a monster beetle, fully four inches in length. About its body was a solid gold band, locked by a tiny padlock, to which was attached a costly gold chain, about two inches in length, fastened to a pin. The beetle's back glistened in light, having been treated to a dress of gold, and as it lumbered along its long legs worked together in a curious fashion. "It's a shawl pin. You see the pin is used to fasten the face of a shawl, or perhaps worn on the bonnet, the insect crawling around the length of the chain. They are perfectly harmless and not expensive, as they live on air—that is, they have never been seen to eat. This one was brought here to mount, which is a very fine operation, as the legs and antennæ are all so delicate. After all, there is nothing objectionable about them, except the idea of having them crawl over you. They all come from South America, and the only lot in the city is to be taken to France, where the owner will try to introduce the fashion of wearing them. They cost from $10 to $50, depending entirely on the amount of the ring. There is nothing cruel about it, as they are bound loosely, and the gold has no effect upon their hard sides.

In Brazil the fashion of wearing beetles is carried to a great extent. A well-known resident has a beetle with a collar of gold which meets at the top, and is there ornamented with a diamond of [illegible] The insect has a cage surrounded by the plants among which it [illegible] its native state, and nothing is [illegible] make it as comfortable as [illegible] But the most popular insect [illegible] for an ornament in Brazil is a small [illegible] phosphorescent beetle. These are often worn fastened in the hair, and as the two phosphorescent or light-giving spots are on the sides of the head, the black insect is, of course, invisible, especially when in the raven locks of the fair Brazilians. Twenty or thirty of these beetles will throw out a light sufficient to read by, and when arranged around the head in a circle, or grouped over the forehead and held in place, the effect is beautiful.—*New York Sun.*

Attempts upon Queen Victoria's Life.

The most blameless sovereign Europe has ever had—Queen Victoria—has not been free from the danger of assassination by lunatics. Her death could produce no change in the established order o the Government. She has barely the shadow of political power. If royalty were abolished, Great Britain could not be a freer country than it is. Yet the Queen has been three times shot at, once struck in the face, once threatened with a loaded and with an unloaded pistol. The first attempt upon the Queen's life was made June 10, 1840, by Edward Oxford, a lad of 17. He fired two shots deliberately, but missed. His was much the same kind of a character as Guiteau's. He was half-crazy with a longing for notoriety. He was pronounced insane by a jury, and sentenced to be confined in a lunatic asylum during her Majesty's pleasure. John Francis, son of a machinist in Drury Lane, fired at the Queen May 30, 1842, from the very spot where Oxford had stood. He was but a few feet from the carriage, which fortunately was driving at a rapid pace, and missed his aim. He was condemned to death, but his sentence was commuted to imprisonment for life. The very day after this mitigation of punishment became known, a hunchbacked boy named Bean made another attempt on the Queen's life. He presented a pistol at her carriage, but was not permitted to fire it. The pistol was loaded with powder, paper tightly rammed down, and some scraps of clay pipe. Bean was imprisoned eighteen months. An Irish bricklayer named Hamilton fired a pistol loaded only with powder at her Majesty May 19, 1849, on Constitution Hill, where two previous attempts had been made. His sentence was seven years' transportation. Robert Pate, a cashiered Lieutenant of hussars, struck her Majesty in the face with a stick May 27, 1850. His sentence also was seven years' transportation. Arthur O'Connor, a boy of 17, presented an unloaded pistol at the Queen, Feb. 29, 1872. He was whipped and imprisoned for a year. The modified law, which authorizes whipping to be prescribed in the discretion of the Judge, is thought to have had the effect of discouraging attempts upon the Queen's life.

THERE are ways enough of advantageously helping our fellow-men, provided we keep in view the grand leading principle not to paralyze or deaden their faculties by withdrawing the stimulus to action, but to improve and develop them by every effort we make in their behalf.

REV. GABE TUCKER'S TRIBULATIONS.

You may notch it on de palin's as a mighty reaky plan,
To make your judgment by de clo'es dat rivers up a man;
For I hardly need to tell you how you often come ercross
A fifty-dollar saddle on a twenty-dollar hoss,
An', wukin' in de low-groun's, you diskiver as you go
Dat de fines' shuck may hide de meanes' nubbin in a row.

I think a man has got a mighty slender chance for heben
Dat holds on to his piety but one day out ob seben;
Dat talks about de sinners wid a heap o' solemn chat,
An' nebber drops a nickel in de missionary's hat;
Dat's foremost in de meetin'-house for raising all de chunes,
But lays aside his 'ligion wid his Sunday pantaloons.

I nebber judge o' people dat I meets along de way
By de places whar dey come fum an' de houses whar dey stay;
For de bantam chicken's awful fond o' roostin' pretty high,
An' de tuckey-buzzard sails above de eagle in de sky;
Dey ketches little minners in de middle ob de sea,
An' you finds de smallest possum up de biggest kind o' tree!

—*Lover's Monthly.*

TRAPS FOR THE UNWARY.

The swindler is a person who invariably flourishes in all great cities, and who includes among his victims the rich and the poor alike. He fleeces the millionaire merchant and the poor emigrant who seeks this land to better his fortunes. For many years he prospered in this city, and it was almost impossible to bring him to justice. In nearly every case he would escape the meshes of the law either through political influence or the power of money. Of late, however, he has been hunted down, and very seldom do we hear of daring swindlers escaping with their booty. In order that the innocent may be upon their guard, a few of the traps laid for the unwary in this great city are exposed further on, and a few instances of daring swindling are recalled to the mind of the reader.

On May 2, 1856, a man by the name of John Ross, who had been engaged in business as a broker in Wall street for about six or eight months, succeeded in obtaining $600,000 from various bankers and brokers in the city on forged gold certificates apparently signed by the Continental Bank. Ross gathered in the whole sum in two hours and decamped with his booty. He was never arrested, although detectives were immediately put upon his track. It was alleged at the time that the banking firm to which Ross presented the gold certificates at once forwarded them to the Continental Bank to see if they were genuine, and that the messenger returned and stated that the cashier, after closely scrutinizing them, had pronounced them to be good. This statement was subsequently denied by the cashier, but at any rate the banking firm sent the certificates the same day to the Commonwealth Bank, and they were passed by the Clearing House in the usual manner and the money paid to the Commonwealth Bank. The Continental asserted subsequently that the certificates were forgeries, and commenced an action for the recovery of the money. In this connection it may be stated that the signature of the bank teller of the Continental Bank, appended to the certificates, was executed with remarkable skill, and the most experienced experts in the city at the time failed to discover any difference between the genuine signature and those alleged to have been forged.

A novel case of swindling was discovered in 1367, when a man named William Martin was arrested for defrauding nearly 2,000 merchants of this city out of various sums of money during the space of nine years. It appears that Martin, in 1858, commenced calling on the merchants with a paper purporting to be a subscription list for the avowed purpose of raising a fund for sick and destitute members of the Insurance Patrol, at the same time representing that he was authorized to receive subscriptions for such fund, and that he was a member of the Insurance Patrol himself. Beside the merchants, every hotel, banking-house, shipping office, etc., had been visited at least once or twice a year by Martin and solicited to aid the sick and indigent members of the patrol. When arrested there was found on the swindler a subscription list containing the names of at least 2,000 merchants and other business men of this city, with the sums subscribed by each, aggregating fully $10,000.

In the year 1863 many of the large mercantile houses of this city, whose customers resided in the distant sections of the Union, particularly in the South, West and Southwest, were sorely perplexed at being regularly apprised that cases of goods received by their purchasers did not at all agree with the invoices accompanying them, and that in many instances merchandise of an inferior quality had been substituted for the articles bought. At first it was suspected that the steamship and railway companies were guilty of the wrong-doing, but as the complaints did not seem to diminish the matter was put in the hands of the police, who succeeded in placing the blame upon the shoulders of the cartmen who had been intrusted with the shipping of the goods. The latter, it was discovered, after receiving the cases for shipment in good order, instead of proceeding to the vessel or freight depot, where they could ship them, were accustomed to drive to certain "fences" and there open a case or two, extract certain valuable pieces and substitute for them goods of an inferior quality, furnished by the keeper of the "fence." The first cartman arrested confessed that he alone had stolen in this manner $10,000 worth of goods in twelve months, and it was a matter of impossibility to place any figure on the amount of the thefts.

Eugene Lagrave is a name very familiar to many of our dry goods merchants, whom he swindled out of $600,000. This sharper commenced life as a brush-maker, and, after making $30,000 in his business, went into Wall street and lost it all. He was next heard from as a loaner of money on diamonds, watches, etc., from which he was forced to retire by the police. Afterward he came before the public as the possessor of forged bonds, and subsequently of stolen securities. He managed, however, to escape punishment in all these cases. We then find him on Broadway as a merchant. He hired a large store and fitted it up in a gorgeous manner. He then went to Stewart's, bought a bill of goods, representing himself as a newly-established merchant who had a large Western trade and who would buy quantities of goods. For these he paid cash. His address, impudence, etc., and the fact that the goods were not going out of the city, inspired confidence, and, when he reentered the store a few days after, he could get all the goods he wanted at six months. He went to all the big dry goods houses and obtained credit in the same manner, giving his note at six months in each case. The goods obtained were immediately sent out West and auctioneered off. He did this every week, until in five months he had run up an account of from $500,000 to $600,000. Suspicion was excited by his heavy purchases, his store was visited and found almost empty, and Lagrave, having been received coolly the next day by his dupes, saw he was discovered, and fled to Canada.

Among the swindles that have been very successful may be mentioned the bogus counterfeit-money manufacturing shops. The principal victims of the swindlers are country people, to whom communications are sent by bogus firms in this city offering to make them rich in a very short time. The swindler generally begins by stating that he has on hand, ready for circulation, a large sum in one, two and five dollar bills, which he claims are the best counterfeits ever put upon the market, and which he defies even treasury experts to detect. He claims that they are of the same size of the genuine, are printed on first-class paper, are correctly numbered and are so exceedingly well executed in every respect that they can not possibly be detected, even by the aid of a powerful microscope. He then offers to sell any amount of the bills for one-fifth the par value of the genuine. This often takes the eye of country people, who, in their anxiety to get suddenly rich, pay a visit to the office of the bogus firm in this city. The latter generally consists of three persons, one of whom meets the victim in the hall and offers to go into the office and let the firm know of his presence. The victim is left for a few minutes alone when another person comes out and inquires how much the gentleman wishes, and tells him that it would never do to let him go into the office, as they occupy it in common with a man who is very suspicious, but he will bring him out any amount he wishes unobserved. This is satisfactory, and the scoundrel goes into the office and gets a package of paper about the size that greenbacks would make of the amount ordered. The package is securely done up and sealed with the firm's name, and this is quickly exchanged for genuine bills, the victim being cautioned at the same time not to open the package until he reaches home for fear of detection. As a rule the purchaser obeys the instructions to the letter, and is thunderstruck when he proceeds to display his wealth to admiring friends. It is of very little use to try and recover their money, as the "bogus firm" is inaccessible except to fresh victims. The "sawdust game" is also used in this bogus-counterfeiting scheme.

Shop-keepers have time and again been made the victims of swindlers, especially females. Among the many devices to carry out their purpose was the following: They always worked in couples and were generally assisted by a man. The latter would select a house that advertised furnished rooms, and, going to the place in the course of the day, he would hire rooms for two ladies and then inform them of the locality of their new residence. Then the parties would take a stroll through the principal thoroughfares and select a store to furnish the material. As soon as everything was ready one or both ladies would enter the store and purchase a quantity of goods, invariably laces or such light valuable materials as could easily be disposed of, and give directions to the person from whom the purchase was made to send them to the house, giving the address. When the employe of the store arrived at the house with the articles one of the ladies would politely receive him in the parlor, ask him to wait a moment while she was showing the merchandise to her sister and husband, and then, taking the goods, the swindlers would disappear from the house with the booty, leaving the messenger waiting patiently for his cash.

The next swindle to be mentioned is the "bogus express company." The pretended managers of the concern would commence by forwarding to merchants of this city notes purporting to come from different parts of the country, asking for all kinds of goods to be sent immediately C. O. D. through the bogus express. Of course that would be the last of the merchandise, as the swindlers would sell it and pocket the proceeds.

The prize-candy swindle is well-known to every New Yorker, and nowadays very few people fall victims to this class of swindles. It is not, however, so many years ago that people of all classes, from the merchant to the street Arab, went crazy over it. Fortunately, the craze was not in this city, but broke out in Boston, where a wily old man named Flint Peaslee succeeded for quite a while in fleecing the citizens of the "Hub." His manner of operating was to sell pipe-stem candy for 5 cents a stick. Each stick was done up in paper, and inside some of them were checks entitling the fortunate buyer to whatever prize was named therein. These prizes ranged from 10 cents to $10, and occasionally consisted of a barrel of flour or ton of coal. Of course a large proportion of the sticks contained no checks whatever, and these were recognized as blanks. Every class of the community was represented among the dupes, and even well-dressed and refined women mingled in the line, anxious to try their luck. This thing continued for months, and some days as many as 50,000 sticks were disposed of. The entire resources of the largest confectioner in Boston were inadequate, and a small army girls were hardly able to wrap the sticks in papers fast enough to supply the victimized buyers. The game was finally broken up by a young girl in Peaslee's employ, who managed to so place the sticks containing prizes that her friends were able to draw them all in the early morning, leaving nothing but blanks for the other customers. Peaslee was finally driven from the city.

The "excursion swindlers" are another class that were very prevalent a few years ago. They would open an office on one of the principal streets, fit it up handsomely, and when the would-be excursionist called he would be received in the most courteous manner, and on the payment of a stipulated sum would be presented with a card purporting to give him passage up the sound or elsewhere on the water. The date of the excursion was printed on the ticket, but no part came steamer or starting-place was mentioned on the face; but this was a matter of small consequence, as the gentlemanly projector of the excursion informed the purchasers of tickets that a certain vessel would leave a certain pier at a certain time. In many instances several hundred people assembled on the pier indicated, and after waiting for hours for the steamer made up their minds that they had been victimized.

Another well-worn trap, but which includes victims up to this very day, is the dead-relative swindle. In some cases well dressed young men will manage to obtain an introduction to their intended victims, and after having made a good impression will disappear for a few days. When they return it will be with the information that a mother, sister or other relative has died suddenly in some remote place, and, it being after banking hours, would the victim loan sufficient money until the next day so that the body could be brought on to this city? On many occasions the money is advanced, and the victim sees the last of his charitable loan when the borrower leaves his house or office.

In other cases the bogus bereaved persons beg for enough to bury the corpse from door to door, and generally tell of a sick mother, crippled sister, etc., to excite the sympathies of the householders.

The poor emigrant is not forgotten by the swindler. Every device is tried to fleece him out of the few dollars he has brought with him to his new home. In some cases they are coaxed to give up small sums of money on the pretense of procuring employment. The sharpers get their money and then send them to some factory in the suburbs, where the emigrants are told positions are open for them. On application at the place mentioned, the parties in charge say that they do not need any hands, and the emigrants have to return to Castle Garden minus their traveling expenses.

Emigrants intending to go inland are also imposed upon by these sharks, who give them rolls of copper coin in exchange for our paper money or the gold coin of European countries. They dupe their victims by a gold piece put on top of each roll, which generally contains English coppers.

The "bogus Custom House officer" is another swindle which is carried on to a great extent. It consists in the assumption of the duties and rights of Custom House officers by a number of rascals, who, to work their ends more easily, wear bogus badges, precise imitations of those worn by the regular inspectors. They follow an unsuspecting passenger who may be leaving the ship with some small package which has escaped the attention of the regular Custom House officer, and when he is clear of the dock the swindler approaches him and demands to know what he has got. If objection is made he shows his badge. This scares the would-be smuggler; the goods are delivered up and that is the last heard of them. The passenger claims them at the Custom House, but to no purpose.

Among the many mean swindlers are parties who offer employment to poor men in other cities, especially in the South, at good wages, on condition that they pay down a small sum of money. In all cases when the time for departure comes the swindler has vanished, and some idea of the sufferings entailed upon the victims may be formed from the fact that many of them had broken up their humble homes and laid out their little means in purchasing necessaries for the voyage.

The bogus-insurance swindler is a very captivating gentleman, who carries about with him blank insurance policies prepared with the name of some fictitious insurance company, and who calls on householders and proprietors of stores offering to insure them on a small premium.

The "check raiser" is well known, and his business is very extensive. He manages to sell a small amount of goods to a merchant, getting the latter's check in return. Immediately the dollars are raised from hundreds to thousands, and the swindler collects his money, in many instances without trouble.

Another game is for the sharper to visit merchants' stores, represent himself as a merchant from another city, order a large amount of goods and then have a check for $100 or so cashed by the smiling victim.

Many other swindles could be mentioned, among them the "mock auction," "bogus mine," etc., but of late the authorities have taken the matter in hand, and the work is attended with great risk, so much so, indeed, that in almost every case of the kind the swindler is brought to justice.—*New York Herald.*

AN imitation for floor boards, etc., has been made in this country of compressed straw. It is said to resemble a hard, close-grained wood, can be planed, holds nails well, etc. It has no flaws, is not subject to dry rot, is water proof, will not warp and has greater tensile strength than wood. If all this be true we may shortly be making houses out of straw boards.

PEOPLE who fish for compliments do not need long lines. They will get their best bites in shallow water.

Jim Bowie and the "Memphis Terror."

On one occasion Bowie, whose reputation had reached Memphis, arrived [illegible] boat at that city, or rather then known as the Third Bluffs. The bank from the to the top was about 150 f[illegible] a large number of people were [illegible] the arrival of the strangers. [illegible] down, one of them recognized [illegible] he stepped over the gang plank, made the remark: "There comes Bowie."

"What!" shouted a big flatboatman then known as the "Memphis Terror," as he looked down the bluff; "Jim Bowie? That's the fellow I'm looking for for months. Jim Bowie? Why, —— him, I'll whip him so he won't know what hurt him. I'll whip him if I never whip another man in my life. Stand by, boys, and see the fun."

Bowie came slowly up the bank. In his hand he carried an old muzzle-loader, he had no pistols, and was evidently not expecting or in fact prepared for a fight. This act did not escape the now thoroughly interested spectators. Up went the flatboatman promptly, as Bowie reached the top of the bluff. "Is your name Jim Bowie?" he asked.

Bowie replied that it was.

"Then," shouted the flatboatman, as he sparred off, "I thank you a ——— good deed, and I'm going to whip you right here and now."

Bowie was a man of few words. He stood and gazed at his adversary, who was more embodiment than ever [illegible] "you're a —— coward," he yelled, "and I'm going to kick you off," and, so saying, the "Memphis Terror" advanced to the attack.

Bowie [illegible] not on the "defensive," [illegible] was here to face with [illegible] the hair of Memphis [illegible] and [illegible] on his breast Bowie stepped back, and [illegible] contents umbrella-like at his opponent's throat. The "Memphis Terror," seizing the umbrella with one hand, made a pass at the knife-hilt of the famous knife with the other. In so doing, he pulled the umbrella to himself, leaving free in the right hand of Bowie his murderous weapon, which to this moment had been concealed in the folds of the umbrella's cloth. The sight of Bowie standing there with the knife in his hand and the gleam of vengeance in his eye was too much for "The Terror."

From the bouncing bully he became transformed into a craven coward in a second. His face turned pale and his knees trembled, while the dark drops ran from his hands as he gazed on Bowie's weapon with staring eyes. "Put it up, put away that scythe, for God's sake, Bowie. I was mistaken in my man."

Bowie advanced a step.

"Don't—don't kill me!" beseeched the bully; "for God's sake, man, don't go for me with that scythe, and I swear to you I'll never attack another man as long as I live."

Bowie looked at his now thoroughly demoralized opponent for a moment, and then, turning on his heel with the expression, "Coward," walked rapidly away. Thenceforth the "Memphis Terror" was a changed man, and until the day of his death he never lost the sobriquet of "Put-up that-scythe."

The Art of Dining.

Thomas Walker has written a book called "Aristology; or, The Art of Dining." Six or at most eight persons, he says, are the proper number to be seated at one table: "for [illegible] enjoyment a company [illegible] sympathizing [illegible] listening and talking [illegible] —no [illegible] Sp[illegible] view the real principally of [illegible] form and ceremony [illegible] have excellent [illegible] fort; and the cultivation [illegible] seem to be the peculiar [illegible] sex, as one of the chief [illegible] hold management. There [illegible] failing in respect to dinners [illegible] not help here noticing—[illegible] very inconvenient love of garnishing [illegible] flowers, either natural or cut in turnips and carrots, and stuck on dishes, so as to greatly impede carving and helping. This is the true barbarian principle of ornament, and is in no way distinguishable from the 'untutored Indian's' fondness for feathers and shells."

Cement Floors.

A correspondent of the *Country Gentleman* states how he mixed the cement and gravel for cellar bottoms and roads, which stand use and the weather.

In October, 1878, I put down a cement drive-way. The first coat was three and a half inches thick, seven parts of sharp, coarse sand or fine gravel, to one part of cement, thoroughly mixed in a box dry, then dampened with water. I spread it on the ground in sections or squares. As soon as it was set, I put on another coat, one inch thick, of one part of cement to three parts of sharp sand. When that was set, for a finishing coat I put half an inch thick of one part of cement and one part of sand. It will in a week or ten days do to drive over. For my cellar bottom I used five parts of clean, coarse, sharp sand (plasterers call it fine gravel) to one part of cement. This was mixed in the same manner as for the drive-way. It only requires to be damp enough to work well. It was mixed in a box, wheeled into the cellar, dumped, and spread smooth with a shovel, hoe, or trowel, about two inches thick. Take a spade or shovel, flat side, and beat it down hard and smooth. For finishing, use one part of cement to one part of sand; this is thoroughly mixed, and then watered so it is like plastering mortar. Dump it on the first coat, about half an inch thick, spread and smooth with a trowel. It will soon become as hard as stone. The cement I used is known as Portland cement, though I think the common hydraulic cement will answer if fresh.

ELOCUTION supplies the "funeral baked meats" of oratory.

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A "smart man," one Pratt, of California, refused to pay a school tax of $2, on the plea that legal notice was not given. He appealed, and the Supreme Court has affirmed the judgment; and, at a cost of about $500, Pratt is convinced that he had better paid the paltry $2 tax.

On Thursday evening a terrible calamity occurred at Vienna, the Ring Theater, the finest in the city, being destroyed by fire, with the loss of 400 lives. The early hour of th fire, 7 o'clock, doubtless saved many hundred lives, it being a fete day.

David Davis, in the Senate, declared he would vote for the Republican Committees, and accord to Arthur's Administration a fair and hearty support.

The President recommends the repeal of all internal revenue taxes except on tobacco and liquors.

President Arthur's message is pronounced as the best during the past 15 years. It is also remarkable for its great length.

Col. John W. Forney died at Philadelphia yesterday morning. He was one of the foremost publishers of the country.

San Francisco is to have a fleet of steam whalers, and the vessels are to be built at that port, one having been ordered.

Congress met on Monday, and the Republicans elected Keifer, of Ohio, Speaker.

A bill has been introduced in the Senate for the admission of Dakata as a State.

Arthur's message has placed the Mormons on the anxious seat.

NEW TO-DAY.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, COUNTY OF Mono and State of California, Department No. 1.

In the matter of SHAS B. SMITH, an Insolvent Debtor.

To Adams, McNeill & Co., Armes & Dallam, John S. Bowman & Co., J. Baum & Co., F. K. Bechtel, Bachman Bros., Bayer & Rich, A. L. Bancroft & Co., Blumenthal, Quinlan & Co., Bauer Bros. & Co., Baker & Hamilton, California Powder Works, California Silk Manufacturing Co., G. W. Clarke, California Cracker Co., P. & F. G. Conklin, Cutting Packing Co., Eugene E. Dewey, Davisson, Hall & Co., A. B. Elfelt & Co., Esberg, Bachman & Co., S. Ettinger, Feechheimer, Goodkind & Co., Friedlander Brothers, Feechheimer & Steele, Fratinger & Noll, A. Fried & Sons, Folger, Schilling & Co., Feigenbaum & Co., E. Guittard & Co., Greenbaum, Sachs & Freeman, Goodyear Rubber Co., H. Glauber, Hecht Ross & Co., M. Hyman & Co., Hoffman & Co., Held Brothers & Co., Hollbrook, Merrill & Stetson, E. H. Jones & Co., Kraker & Israel, I. J. King of Wm. & Co., Louis Kline & Co., Levy, Diamant & Co., Jules Levy, Michels, Friedlander & Co., Murphy, Grant & Co., Albert Man & Co., Morison, Hutchinson & Co., Mills, Leak & Co., Michelsen, Brown & Co., C. H. Meyer & Bros., Muser Brothers, Neuburger, Reiss & Co., Pacific Jewelry Co., Payot, Upham, & Co., S. W. Rosenstock & Co., Reiss Bros & Co., John F. Schmidt, Straus, Kohnstamm & Co., W. & J. Sloane & Co., Levi Strauss & Co., Schwertzer, Sachs & Co., Schroder, Albrecht & Co., Spear, Meads & Co., Sachs Strassburger & Co., Son Brothers, Tobin, Davisson & Co., Triest & Friedlander, G. Venard, Bertha Walter John Wagner, Whittier, Fuller & Co., and Western White Goods Manufacturing Co.

Creditors of the above named Insolvent:

Take notice that the said Insolvent has petitioned said Court for his final discharge, and

MONDAY, the 23th day of JANUARY, 1882,

at 10 o'clock A. M., and the Court Room of said Court, have been fixed as the time and place when and where the creditors of said Insolvent show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted, and the said insolvent be finally discharged from all his debts and liabilities.

Dated Dec. 6th, 1881.

BEN H. MILLER, Clerk.

d-10tw By A. C. MCKINNON, Deputy Clerk.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION ISSUED out of the Superior Court, County of Mono, State of California, and to me directed and delivered, for a judgment rendered and entered in said Court, on the 23th day of May, 1881, in favor of Louis Liebes, Jacob Liebes and N. Meyer, copartners under the firm-name of Liebes, Bros. & Co., plaintiffs, and against W. A. Loose, defendant, for the sum of Four hundred and seventy-four 50-100 dollars damages, and Twenty-three 25-100 dollars costs, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of said judgment, until paid, and accruing costs,

I have levied on the following described real property, to wit:

That certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the town of Bridgeport, County of Mono and State of California, and more fully described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at the northeast corner of a lot owned by A. H. Allen, between Main and Bryant streets, Bridgeport, Mono county, California, and running easterly along Bryant street, thirty-four (34) feet to the northwest corner of lot owned by P. G. Hughes; thence running southerly two hundred (200) feet to Main street thence westerly along Main street thirty-four (34) feet; thence running northerly two hundred (200) feet to place of beginning, containing one-quarter of an acre, more or less, the same being on the N W ¼ of Section 28, T. 5, N. R. 25 E., M. D. M.; with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in any wise appertaining.

Notice is hereby given that on the

31st day of DECEMBER, 1881,

at 1 o'clock P. M. of that day, in front of the Court House, in Bridgeport, County of Mono, State of California, I will sell all the right, title and interest of said W. A. Loose, Defendant, in and to the above described property, at public auction for cash, U. S. gold coin in hand, to the highest and best bidder, to satisfy said Execution, costs and all accruing costs.

Dated December 8th, 1881.

JAMES SHOWERS, Sheriff,

d10-td By J. W. TOWLE, Under Sheriff.

GEO. N. WHITMAN,

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE,

BRIDGEPORT TOWNSHIP.

OFFICE—Court House. n26-f

C. L. ANDERSON,

CIVIL AND MINING ENGINEER

—AND—

U. S. DEPUTY MINERAL SURVEYOR.

BODIE, CAL.

OFFICE.—Main street, two doors south of West & Bryant's store. jy3-tf

LEGAL.

ESTATE OF ANDREAS NELSON, DECEASED.

NOTICE is hereby given by the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Andreas Nelson, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said Administrator, at his place of business in the town of Benton, in the said County of Mono.

Dated November 28, 1881.

N. DANIELS, Administrator, of Estate of Andreas Nelson, deceased.

JNO. A. MCQUAID, Att'y for Administrator. [d3]

Order to Show Cause upon Creditors' Petition.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY of Mono, State of California.

In the matter of A. J. PARLOVICH and P. S. VIDOVICH, Partners under the firm-name of PARLOVICH & VIDOVICH, Bodie, In insolvency.

Upon reading and filing the Petition of The Cutting Packing Company, Wangenheim & Company, Taber, Harker & Company, Macondray & Company, Getz, Bros. & Company, accompanied by a bond as required by law, and upon motion of C. F. Hakes Esq., Counsel for the petitioners. It is ordered that A. J. Parlovich and P. S. Vidovich do appear at this Court, Department No. 2, at Bridgeport, County of Mono, on the 15th day of February, 1882, at Eleven o'clock A. M., and show cause, if any there be, why they should not be adjudged insolvent debtors in accordance with the provisions of The Insolvent Act of Eighteen Hundred and Eighty, and why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.

It is further ordered, that no creditor, whose debt is provable under said Act, shall be allowed to prosecute to final judgment any action therefor against said Respondent, until the question of discharge shall have been determined, and that any and all such suits and proceedings be stayed until the further order of the Court.

It is further ordered, that a copy of said petition, with a copy of this order shall be served on the said debtors in the same manner as is provided by law for the service of summons in civil actions, and that such service shall be made at least ten days before the time fixed for the hearing.

Dated this 8th day of November, 1881.

MARCUS P. WIGGIN, Superior Judge.

n25-2m

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION, ISSUED out of the Superior Court in and for the County of Mono, State of California, and to me directed and delivered, for a judgment rendered and entered in said Court, on the thirtieth day of September, A. D. 1881, in favor of A. N. Harris and against South Bodie Gold Mining Company, for the sum of $171 60, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum till paid from the date of said judgment, together with $10 75 costs and disbursements at the date of said judgment and accruing costs.

I have this 19th day of November, 1881, levied upon the following described real property, to wit:

That certain piece or parcel of real estate known and designated as the "South Bodie Mine," situate, lying and being in Bodie Mining District, Mono County, State of California, and on the western slope or side of Silver Hill, and more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows, to wit: Commencing at a stake marked "South Bodie N. E. cor. No. 1," and running thence on eastern boundary, 1st, S 15° 30' W 1570 feet, to intersect the west boundary of Sec 16, T 4 S, R 27 E, M D M, 110 9-10 feet, south of the ¼ Sec cor 1560 feet to a stake marked South Bodie S E cor No. 2; thence on southern boundary 2, S 44° 30' W 50 feet to a stake marked South Bodie S W cor No. 3; thence on western boundary 3, N 45° 30' W 1560 feet, to intersect west boundary of said Sec 16, 25 feet north of ¼ Sec cor; 1560 feet to a stake marked South Bodie N W cor No. 4; thence on northern boundary 4, S 44° 30' E, 50 feet to a stake marked South Bodie N E cor No. 1, 50 feet to the place of beginning containing 3 45 acres. Bearing obtained from the True Meridian, Magnetic Variation 16° 30' East, and having and containing thereon a one story wooden building known as the Hoisting Works building of said mine, and also having thereon a certain other one story frame building, together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereunto said piece or parcel of real estate belonging or in any wise appertaining; and together also with one boiler 54x16, one 12 horse power hoisting engine, one 1 inch round iron rope, 750 feet long; all lying and being situate in the hoisting works building aforesaid on said mine.

Notice is hereby given that on the

TENTH DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1881,

at 2 o'clock P. M. of that day, in front of the Court House, in the town of Bridgeport, County of Mono, I will sell the right, title and interest of said Defendant South Bodie Gold Mining Company in and to the above described property, at public auction, for cash, U. S. gold coin in hand, to the highest and best bidder, to satisfy said Execution and all costs.

Dated the 10th day of November, 1881.

JAMES SHOWERS, Sheriff.

n19 td By GEO. W. SPROULE, Deputy Sheriff.

The above sale is hereby postponed until

DECEMBER TWENTIETH, 1881,

at the same place and hour.

JAMES SHOWERS, Sheriff.

d10-td By GEO. W. SPROULE, Deputy Sheriff.

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BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION ISSUED out of the Superior Court in and for the County of Mono, State of California, and to me directed and delivered, for a judgment rendered and entered in said Court, on the Thirtieth day of September, A. D. 1881, in favor of A. N. Harris and against South Bodie Gold Mining Company, for the sum of $171 60, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, till paid, from the date of said judgment, together with $10 75 costs and disbursements at the date of said judgment, and accruing costs,

I have on the 19th day of November, 1881, levied upon the following described property, to wit:

3 pieces suction pipe, 2 pieces water column, 2 Coffin valves, 1 pitching bar water column, 3 elbows 6 pieces steam pipe, 2 steam valves, 3 pieces of gas pipe, 3 small boxes fixtures, 2 small boxes nuts and bolts, 4 P. I. valves, 1 box flanges and couplings, 2 Hooker steam packings, 1 2 pieces track iron, 17 ft long; 19 pieces 6 in water column, 15 to 17 ft long; 1 piece, 6 ft long, with elbow; 24 pieces 8 in steam pipe, 1 ft 1 long; 3 pieces 8 in steam pipe, 9 ft long; 8 pieces 8 in steam pipe, 10 ft long; 8 pieces 8 in steam pipe, 1 ft long; 1 piece 4 in steam pipe, 17 ft long; 1 4-arm stock, 1 set taps and dyes, 1 set stocks and dyes, 1 pipe cutter, 1 ratchet and brace, 2 circular saws, 2 socket wrenches, 1 clevis, 1 6 in suction pipe, 1 4 in suction pipe 2 glass gauges, 1 pint glass, 2 expansion joint, 3 grate bars, 60 ft 1 ¼ rubber hose, 1 bundle soapstone packing, 1 bundle gasket rubber, 1 fire clearer, 1 vise, 2 2 in iron boxes, 4 reducers, 1 union coupling, 1 2 in elbow, 1 ½ in elbow, 2 bucket hooks, 2 ½ in bolts, 1 pr 5 in flanges, 1 nipple expander, 1 hog screw, 1 chain bugle, 1 box nuts and bolts, 1 chain hooks, 3 large iron buckets, 1 iron car, 2 large iron chains, 11 lbs; 1 pr flanges, 1 truck, 1 blower, 20 drills, various sizes; 6 picks, 2 large hammers, 2 pinch bars, 3 small spanners, 1 large spanner, 2 augers, 3 pipe tongs, 3 monkey wrenches, 17 wooden clamps, with bolts, etc.; 1 can track nails, 2 rubber valves for pumps, 1 plates, 4 collars, 2 caulking irons, 1 small square, 2 bits, 7 small machine drills, 6 files, 1 screwdriver, 2 pr cocks, 2 cans white lead, 1 carpenter's gauge, 1 2 box, 1 oil cans, 3 paper nuts and bolts, ¾ pr rivets, 48 pieces 6 inch air pipe, 15 ft long; 1 6 in elbow, 1 6 in elbow T, 1 powder thrawing bowl large tunnel, 6 cords of wood, more or less; boiler 7 in plank, more or less; 350 ft 8 in exhaust pipe, 2 0 ft 8 in exhaust pipe, 1 5 in suction hose, 1 3 in steam hose, 1 set 3 tunnel timbers, 1 set 4 pieces, 1 water tank, 1 No. 2 cough-in-ing feed pump, 1 double block and tackle, 1 bellows and anvil, 2 large hammers, 16 drills, 2 sacks coal, 1 pr tongs, 8 picks 2 saws, 3 small hammers.

Notice is hereby given that on the

TENTH DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1881,

at 2 o'clock P. M. of that day, in front of the Court House in the Town of Bridgeport, County of Mono, I will sell the right, title and interest of said Defendant South Bodie Gold Mining Company, in and to the above described property, at public auction, for cash, U. S. gold coin, in hand, to the highest and best bidder, to satisfy said execution and all costs.

Dated the 10th day of November 1881.

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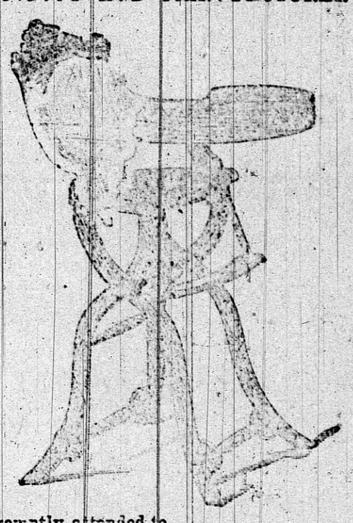

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LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

The Benefit.—The entertainment given for a charitable purpose on Saturday evening last, resulted satisfactorily, both financially and entertainingly, the house being crowded with an audience that was pleased to note that Bridgeport is independent of talent from abroad on such occasions. The music, singing, recitations, dancing and tableaux were excellent. John A. McQuaid was Master of Ceremonies, and right well did he perform his part. The following programme was ruled out by the ladies, who thought it might be a failure:

Rock Me to Sleep, Mother!
(A beautiful solo; written and set to music by Barney Peeler)
By Andy Allen.
Highland Fling.
By Judge Leavitt, in costume, as he appeared before Queen Victoria and Empress Euginie.
The Beautiful Snow.
(Written specially for the occasion, and read by the author,
Z. B. Tinkum.
Would I Were a Boy Again.
(Words by West Towles; music by Janitor Anderson and Jack Lynch)
By R. M. Folger and Jesse Summers.
Zampilcorostationnolipfromyou feats on the flying trapaze,
By James Showers and N. B. Huniwell.
Song, by Ben H. Miller.
"Not a wave of trouble rolls
Across my peaceful breast."
Encore—Sweet Bye and Bye.
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Tableau.
Board of Supervisors—Elastic rubber band

Telegrams from Arthur, Bismarck, Gladstone, Emperor of China, wm. Irwin and Hank Blanchard were read. Although the programme was ommitted considerably, the exercises did not close until 11 o'clock. It was an enjoyable affair, and we hope for another in due time.

Pioneers' Banquet.—The Reunion of the Bridgeport members of the Pacific Coast Pioneers of Bodie, will take place at the Leavett Hotel on New Year's Eve. The banquet will be in Severe's new brick building, and dishes will be uncovered at 8 o'clock sharp. Thus far eight ladies and eight gentlemen have volunteered to sing. Vocal and instrumental music, readings and recitations will be the programme. The event will be a rich feast, both substantial and intellectual.

Rich Ore.—Upon the relinquishment of work on the Summers Brothers' mine, at Sweetwater, by Irwin, work was resumed by the owners, and rich ore was struck within a short distance of the terminus of the former's work. Sweetwater is coming out all right in the near future.

Blue Snow.—It is reported that the snow in Bodie is as blue as indigo—attributable to the Bodie Con. assessment of 50 cents per share. The little fish will glide into that snow and freeze. In company of big fish they are in too deep water to be safe.

Dividend.—The Standard Consolidated has declared its regular monthly dividend of 75 cents per share, payable on the 12th, also an extra one of 75 cents.

Taxes.—The collections of taxes are not very encouraging, and the prospects are that the delinquent list will be extraordinary large.

Rain.—At one o'clock on Sunday morning a rainstorm commenced and continued for forty-nine hours. At Bodie snow fell.

County Money.—On Tuesday the sum of $10,565 31 was in the County Treasury.

A. B. Stewart, Druggist, Bodie, has drugs, medicines, paints, oils, ammunition and cartridges

Mining Transfers.

The following deeds have been recorded in the County Recorder's office:

E. W Taylor and J. H. Taylor to R. M. Clarke and J. R. Littrell, one-third of Oro Fino mine, Clover District.

J. H. Taylor to R. M. Clarke and J. R. Kittrell, one-third of his interest in Josephine, Jorden; and Parmelia, Indian.

E. W. Gowan to B. T. Brown, one-third of Little Bird, Patterson.

B. T. Brown to E. W. Gowen, 1,000 feet of Rel Del Monte, Patterson.

Ben A. Bagby to John E. Summers, 125 feet of Josephine, Homer.

Chris Sivertsen to Martin Jones, ¼ of Humming Bird, Homer.

Martin Jones to Homer Con. Co., Banner, Bodie.

Alex. Rosenwald to Martin Jones, ¼ of Capital, Homer.

Tim Coakley to J. A. Tarpey, ½ of Prosperpine, Indian.

Transfers of Real Estate.

The following deeds have been recorded in the County Recorder's office:

W. R. Pike to Selden Hetzel, lot in Lundy, $250.

H. F. Carinth to H. M. Eddy, ½ interest on ne corner of Main and 3d streets, Lundy, $500.

A. J. Young to Mrs. Flora McDonald, lot on Main street, Lundy, $200.

Boone & Wright to W. H. Brown, land known as Ward's Cemetery [illegible] $400.

The following is worthy of publication, and the good wishes therein expressed are in unison with those of the people of Mono county We are pleased to make room for the congratulatory letter to County Clerk Miller and wife:

Camp No. 1, Mono County, Cal.,
November 20th, 1881.

B. H. Miller Esq.,

Dear Sir:—

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I have received the Duplicate Assessment Roll for the years 1881 and 1882, and that Taxes are now due; and that Taxes will become delinquent on the last Monday in December, 1881, next, thereafter, at 6 o'clock P. M. of said day; and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent. will be added to the amount thereof.

I will be at the following named places on the dates given to receive Taxes, to wit:

At Lundy, Mill Creek, on the 1st day of December, 1881.

At Mammoth on the 3d day of December, 1881.

At Benton on the 5th day of December, 1881.

At Coleville on the 8th and 10th days of December, 1881.

At Bodie on the 20th, 21st, 22d, 23d and 24th days of December, 1881.

And at the Court House, in Bridgeport, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 5 o'clock P. M. of each day,

JAMES SHOWERS, Sheriff,
and ex-officio Tax Collector, Mono Co., Cal.
October 13th, 1881. 615-4

Application to Purchase Timber Land.

United States Land Office,
Bodie, Cal., October 27th, 1881.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT whereas Alpheus Garrard, a citizen of the United States, over the age of twenty-one years has made application under the Act of Congress entitled "An Act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and in Washington Territory," approved June 3, 1878, to purchase at this office the N. W. ¼ of N. E. ¼ of section 30, Township 7, North Range 25 East, M. D. M., containing 40 acres, claiming said land to be valuable chiefly for its timber. And the said applicant having made and filed in this office the affidavit as to the character of said land as required by said Act.

Now, therefore, any and all persons claiming said above described land or any part thereof adversely to the claim of the applicant thereto are required to file their adverse claims with the Register of the United States Land Office, at Bodie, State of California, during the sixty days publication hereof, or they will be barred by the virtue of the provisions of said Act.

Final payment must be made in 90 days from date.

o29-10w JAMES E. GOODALL, Register.

No. 261.
Application to Purchase Timber Land.

United States Land Office,
Bodie, Cal., October 27, 1881.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT whereas Jesse N. Summers, a citizen of the United States, over the age of twenty-one years, has made application under the Act of Congress entitled "An Act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and in Washington Territory," approved June 3, 1878, to purchase at this office SE ¼ of Section 19, Township 7, North Range 25, East, M. D. M., containing 158.40 acres, claiming said land to be valuable chiefly for its timber. And the said applicant having made and filed in this office the affidavit as to the character of said land as required by said Act.

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Bennett & Reddy, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

A. J. Severe, Plaintiff, vs. George L. Putnam, Thomas H. Kennedy, Chas. E. Putnam, C. A. Wilson, A. H. Wilbur, H. H. Moody and Frank M. Cushman, Defendants.

The People of the State of California send Greeting to George L. Putnam, Thomas H. Kennedy, Chas. E. Putnam, C. A. Wilson, A. H. Wilbur, H. H. Moody, and Frank M. Cushman, Defendants:

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff, in the Superior Court, in and for the said County of Mono, State of California, and to answer the Complaint filed therein, within ten days, exclusive of the day of service, after the service on you of this Summons, if served within this County; or, if served elsewhere, within thirty days.

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of this Court for the foreclosure of a certain mortgage described in the said complaint, and executed by the said George L. Putnam and Thomas H. Kennedy on the Twenty-seventh day of September, 1879, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note of even date therewith, for the sum of One Thousand dollars with interest at the rate of one per cent. per month from date of said note; one hundred and twenty-five dollars Attorney's fees, and for costs of this suit; that the premises conveyed by said mortgage may be sold, and the proceeds applied to the payment of said principal sum of One Thousand dollars, interest thereon, less the amount of fifty-five dollars paid on said interest, costs of suit, including one hundred and twenty-five dollars Attorney's fees; and in case such proceeds are not sufficient to pay the same, then to obtain an execution against said George L. Putnam and Thomas H. Kennedy for the balance remaining due, and also that the said defendants and all persons claiming by, through or under them, may be barred and foreclosed all right, title, claim, lien, equity of redemption, and interest in and to said mortgaged premises, and for other and further relief, as will more fully appear by reference to the complaint on file herein.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint, as above required, the said plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the said complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court, in and for the said County of Mono, State of California, this 22d day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

BEN. H. MILLER, Clerk.
[L. S.] By A. C. McKINNON, Deputy Clerk.
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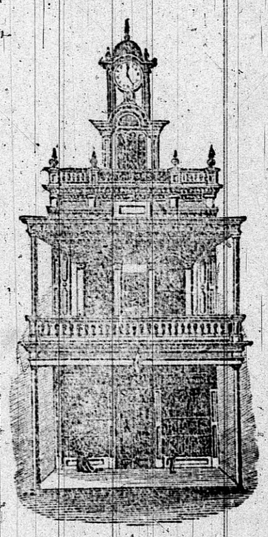

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BY THOMAS BAILEY ALDRICH.

With lash on cheek the mes and gges;
I watch her when she thinks I know;
I wonder if she dreams of it?
Sitting and working (I may rhyme),
I weave into my verses at the ei
Her sunny hair, and eyes and it.

Upon her window-ledge is set
A box of flowering mignonette—
Morning and evening leads to them—
The reverent lovers, that do not care
About that low-coiled strand of hair,
As prettily they bend to them.

If I could once contrive to get
Into that box of mignonette
Some morning when she tends to them—
She comes—I see she reads to them—
From the window to the eyes,
Demure y, as she bends to them.

Browbeating Witnesses.

The law is charitable. It presumes that all men will do their duty, and it holds every man innocent of an alleged crime until he has been proved guilty. Lawyers, on the contrary, are inclined to be uncharitable, especially toward witnesses who testify against their clients.

Though they have sworn "to tell the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth," the opposing counsel usually takes it for granted that they will go as near committing perjury as their fears will permit.

Doubtless, there is much to be said in justification of the lawyers' course. They see much of the prevarication of witnesses, and many attempts to conceal one fact, or to exaggerate another. It is not strange, therefore, that they should doubt the truthfulness of any witness, when interested in a cause—and a majority of witnesses are partisans.

Their skepticism is often made offensively prominent in a cross-examination. The lawyer's manner says, "You have sworn to a lie and I know it, and the jury shall know it, too, before I'm done with you."

Then he puts a series of questions for the purpose of disconcerting the witness, so that he may contradict himself and thus spoil his evidence. If the questions fail to effect the purpose, then they are reinforced by browbeating.

Daniel Webster once tried this method upon a clergyman's wife, Mrs. Greenough, of Newton, Mass., a self-possessed and majestic-looking woman.

The question before the court was that of a Mrs. Badger's soundness of mind she having made a will during her last sickness. Mr. Webster, who had been retained by those who were trying to break the will, saw that the testimony of Mrs. Greenough, she being a witness for the opposite side, would have great weight with the jury. He reasoned, therefore, to spoil her evidence if he could.

He began his cross-examination by putting a certain question, which Mrs. Greenough commenced to answer by saying, "I believe"——

"We don't want to know what you believe, madam," roared Webster; "we want to hear what you know."

"That was what I was about to say,' replied Mrs. Greenough, going right on with a clear answer to the question. Again and again, Mr. Webster, seeing the effect of her evidence upon court and jury, tried to embarrass her.

At length, irritated by his failure to ruffle the self-possessed witness, he sprang to his feet, drew out his snuff-box, took a pinch, and, holding a large bandana handkerchief to his nose, blew a sonorous blast.

"Mrs. Greenough," he asked, while the report was vibrating, looking sharply at her, "was Mrs. Badger a neat woman?"

"I can't say as to that, sir; she had one very dirty trick."

"What was that?"

"She took snuff."

The Court House shook with peals of laughter from Judge, jury, bar and spectators.

Grandfather's Kitchen.

The following description of the room in which our great-grandfathers lived may recall to some old man the scenes of his boyhood:

Grandfather's kitchen was a somber room, ceiled and painted brown; with huge beams, high dressers and yawning fireplace. It had only two small windows, and was entered by nine doors.

It was, in reality, the great hall of the house. What is lacked by day was light and sunshine. At night, brightened by a roaring back-log, it was full of cheer. Then its beams and ceilings and ample furnishings were enriched by shadows, and the pewter dishes upon its brown dressers shone in the dancing firelight like silver.

The two shelves full of leather-covered books; the weather-wise almanac hanging from a peg; the cross-legged crane with its hissing teakettle; the brush; the bellows; the settle in the corner, and whatever else was there, all became fire-changed, and were mellowed into the bright scene.

This room was by night the best part of the house. It was always the true heart of it; the vital center from which diverged its indwelling life. It was the place where people lounged and lingered.

Because its small windows let in a few sunbeams, those which did come in were all the more precious. Because it was full of homely things, and was, as the women said, "most convenient," it had inwrought into it, as a picture, a quaint beauty of adaptation. Mellow, brown old kitchen—how many costly rooms similate, in their furnishing, your inexpensive colors?—*New England Bygones.*

A Sample of Military Instructions in 1776.

An interesting relic of the Revolutionary war was recently found among some effects in the old Pelletreau homestead at Southampton, Suffolk county, R. I. It was a letter by Gen. Nathaniel Greene to Col. Josiah Smith, which reads as follows:

CAMP AT BROCKLAND, Aug. 9, 1776.

SIR—Inclosed is a resolution of the Provincial Congress ordering you into join my brigade. I intend early on the receipt of this you'll march the troop under your command immediately to this camp. You will make all possible expedition, as the enemy have embarked part, if not all, of the troops on Staten Island, and are making dispositions as if they intended to land here. You'll send out scouts and part es to get intelligence. If the enemy should make their landing good on any part of the Island and near to your coming they may send out a party to intercept your march. Keep good look-outs and rear guards to prevent being surprised.

NATHANIEL GREENE.

To Col. Joseph Smith, Long Island.

Incident of Lincoln's Murder.

"Those are not cheerful-looking things, are they?" said Counselor M. A. McDonald, as he sauntered into the office of the United States Marshal, and pointed to a pair of handcuffs which were lying upon the table.

"Not especially enlivening," replied a deputy, picking up the rogue's bracelets and examining them thoughtfully.

"There was a time when I thought they were the most cheerless and terrible things in the world."

The deputy looked up in surprise.

"Yes," continued Mr. McDonald, "I had them both on my hands and feet at once for a number of hours. I assure you they are not pleasant things to wear."

"Were they put on to keep you a prisoner?" queried the deputy, wondering if his friend could have done anything criminal."

"You would have thought so had you been in my place. I was arrested by officers who thought I was J. Wilkes Booth."

"No!" ejaculated the deputy, more as an expression of surprise than an intentional reflection upon the veracity of Mr. McDonald.

"It came about in this way," began the lawyer, whose dark hair and eyes, even now that sixteen years have passed, bear a striking resemblance to the assassin of Lincoln: "Lincoln had been murdered but a few days, and the entire country, plunged in grief, was wild with desire for revenge upon the murderer. My home was in Titusville, Pa., and I was on the way to it from Washington, where my office was then a Government contractor. The route was by way of Erie. The train had left Erie and gone perhaps a dozen miles, when a couple of officers surprised me by putting me under arrest and clapping handcuffs on my feet. In vain I protested. They would not believe that I was not Wilkes Booth. To add to the unpleasantness of the time, and a fact which also gave color to the belief that I was the President's assassin, it was well known that Booth had interests in the oil regions of Pennsylvania, and had been there a number of times. The men who arrested me did so upon the strength of my great resemblance to a picture of Booth which they had in their possession. When it became known on the train that the assassin of Lincoln had been arrested and was on that very train, the excitement was intense. The officers who were guarding me had all they could do to prevent the infuriated passengers from doing me bodily harm. It had been telegraphed along the line of the road that Lincoln's murderer was under arrest, and would pass through on his way to Titusville. At every station the train was met by infuriated men who climbed upon the platforms to get a glimpse of me, and many times on that journey I feared that the mob would get possession of me. When the train reached Corry there was a man boarded the train who knew me. But the officers would not listen to him, and it was not until Titusville was reached, where every man, woman and child knew me, that the handcuffs and manacles were removed from my wrists and ankles, and I was allowed my liberty. I have the photograph which furnished the clew to the officers who arrested me in my possession now."—*Denver Tribune.*

Gen. Garfield's Maxims.

[Extracted from His Speeches.]

"I feel a profounder reverence for a boy than a man. I never meet a ragged boy on the street without feeling that I owe him a salute, for I know not what possibilities may be buttoned up under his shabby coat."

"The privilege of being a young man is a great privilege, and the privilege of growing up to be an independent man in middle life is a greater."

"Whatever you win in life you must conquer by your own efforts, and then it is yours, a part of yourself."

"Growth is better than permanence, and permanent growth is better than all."

"If there be one thing upon this earth that mankind love and admire better than another, it is a brave man, a man who dares look the devil in the face and tell him he is a devil."

"The student should study himself, his relation to society, to nature, and to art, and, above all, in all, and through all these, he should study the relations of himself, society, nature and art to God, the author of them all."

"Great ideas travel slowly, and for a time noiselessly, as the gods whose feet were shod with wool."

"Ideas are the great warriors of the world, and a war that has no ideas behind it is simply a brutality."

"I would rather be defeated than make capital out of my religion."

"After all, territory is but the body of a nation. The people who inhabit its hills and its valleys are its soul, its spirit, its life."

"For the noblest man that lives there still remains a conflict."

"Come down the glorious steps of our banner. Every great record we have made has been vindicated with our blood and with our truth. It sweeps the ground, and it touches the stars."

Marvelous Fish Story.

A rich proprietor at the interior had made to establish a pond artificial, where found themselves agglomerated 3,000 trouts.

This proprietor is the father of a girling of from 5 to 6.

She had taken the habitude to go each morning to give to eat to the trouts, at the aid of crumbs of bread.

These fishes were become so entamed that they skipped out of the water to attrap the crumbs which the infant child held in the crevice of her hand.

It arrived one day that she lost the equilibrium, and she fell, the head the first, in the pond, of which the water was enough to profound.

At the cries emitted by the girling the father was run himself.

But what horror! He saw his infant extended without movement at the surface, where she floated as a cork.

What was not the surprise of the father in seeing that she had been supported by a mass compact of trouts.

The fishes had arranged themselves under her body as to sustain and prevent her from drown.

If this history is truthful, the fishes are not so much deprived of the intelligence as one pleased himself to believe.—*Translation from the French.*

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SUMMONS.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, IN AND FOR the County of Mono, State of California.

ADELIA NOONAN SHANNON, Plaintiff, vs JOHN SHANNON, Defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court, in and for the said County of Mono, State of California, and the Complaint filed in the office of the Clerk of said County.

SELDEN HETZEL, Plaintiff's Attorney.

The People of the State of California send greeting to John Shannon, Defendant.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named Plaintiff, in the Superior Court, in and for the said County of Mono, State of California, and to answer the Complaint filed therein, within ten days, exclusive of the day of service, after the service on you of this Summons, if served within this County; or, if served elsewhere, within thirty days.

The said action is brought to obtain a Decree of this Court dissolving the Bonds of Matrimony now existing between you and the Plaintiff, and allowing Plaintiff to resume the maiden name of Adelia Noonan.

All of which will more fully appear on reference to the complaint on file herein, and to which you are hereby referred.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint, as above required, the said Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief therein demanded.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Superior Court in and for the said County of Mono, State of California, this 19th day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty one.

[L. S.] PEN H. MILLER, Clerk.

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Alias

SUMMONS.

IN THE JUSTICE'S COURT OF BODIE Township, County of Mono, State of California.

F. B. DOTEN, Plaintiff, vs. GEORGE RADLEY, Defendant.

The People of the State of California send Greeting to George Radley, Defendant.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the Justice's Court of Bodie Township, County of Mono, State of California, and to answer before the Justice at his office in the said Township, the complaint filed therein, by Plaintiff, within five days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this Summons—if served in the city and county, township or city in which this action is brought; or if served out of said township or city, but in said county, within ten days; or within twenty days if served elsewhere.

The said action is brought to recover a judgment against you defendant for the sum of Two hundred and eighty-eight 46-100 dollars, which amount is a balance due upon an account for hay and grain sold and delivered by plaintiff to you defendant, at your request, at Bodie Township, Mono county, State of California, within two years last past, all of which will more fully appear on reference to Plaintiff's complaint on file herein, a copy of which is hereto annexed and made a part of this summons, to which you are hereby referred.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint, as above required, said Plaintiff will take judgment against you defendant for the sum of $288 46, together with costs of suit.

Make legal service and due return hereof.

Given under my hand, this 31st day of September, 1881.

A. M. PELEGAR,

Justice of the Peace of Bodie Township.

F. B. DOTEN, in person.

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SUMMONS.

IN THE JUSTICE'S COURT OF BODIE Township, County of Mono, State of California.

F. B. DOTEN, Plaintiff, vs. JOHN BIRD, Defendant.

The People of the State of California send greeting to John Bird, Defendant.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the Justice's Court of Bodie Township, County of Mono, State of California, and to answer before the Justice at his office in the said Township, the complaint filed therein, by Plaintiff, within five days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this Summons; if served in the city and county, township or city in which this action is brought; or, if served out of said township or city, but in said county, within ten days; or, within twenty days if served elsewhere.

The said action is brought to recover a judgment against you defendant for the sum of One hundred and sixteen 28-100 dollars, which amount is a balance due upon an account for hay and grain sold and delivered by plaintiff to you defendant at your request at Bodie, in the County of Mono, State of California, within two years last past, all of which will more fully appear on reference to plaintiff's complaint filed herein, a copy of which is hereto annexed and made a part of this Summons, to which you are hereby referred.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint, as above required, said plaintiff will take judgment against you defendant, for the sum of $116 28, together with costs of suit.

Make legal service and due return hereof.

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